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Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed June 1, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Species A, drawn to 5'TCG-3' for continued examination.

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant have elected to prosecute 5'TCG-3'.

Having made this election, Applicants expressly reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications on the subject matter of the nonelected claims.